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## LEXINGTON'S SCHOOLS

### Many Parents in This Community Are Not Alive to the Advantages Offered.

There are hundreds of boys and girls in Lexington who are not availing themselves of the advantages of a good high school, to say nothing of the colleges in our midst. Young people from other communities removed hundreds of miles from this city, leave home and spend thousands of dollars that they may enjoy the educational advantages offered here.

We heard a story once like this: An old woman lived in America and had a son in England who sent her a draft on the bank of England as her means of support. The dear old mother not knowing its value, placed it in the Bible and wondered why her son had failed to provide her with means necessary to buy the food and clothing she needed. It may be there are parents in Lexington who have never realized what golden opportunities are placed at their doors by the schools of this community. It may be that there are boys and girls in our midst, who have never been lead to realize that they are failing to get ready for places of honor and usefulness and that the day may come when they will be compelled to step aside and let some one who had prepared himself properly, enter the door of opportunity and distinction.

We heard a man say that he once held a position with one of the great railroads of the west and was rapidly promoted until he reached the limit of his training and rather than acknowledge his lack of education he resigned his position. All of us have our limitations. Each one must determine how high our standard is to be placed.

### Faculty Appreciation of Mr. Demand.

Providence having called from our midst Mr. H. D. Demand, we, the Faculty of the State Normal School of the Second District desire to express sincere sympathy with the family, as well as our own sense of loss, and our appreciation of the admirable qualities of our friend and colleague. Mr. Demand has long sustained important and influential relations with the work of education in the state. The Department of History in the State Teachers' Association has valued his leadership as its chairman; and our own school knows especially well his executive ability and soundness of judgment in the common counsel, his wholesome optimism and his kindly spirit that won from the youth about him the designation "student friend."

We value association with one of his worth, and the influence of his personality is with us. May light eternal shine upon him.

(Signed)

Lucy Austin Ball.

Committee S. A. Hoover and Fred W. Urban.

### To the Democrats of Lafayette.

I wish to thank all of my Democratic friends who voted for me in the primary last Tuesday and to express my good will to those who did not. My nomination which I received without a canvass on my part was indeed gratifying and I appreciate the trust the party placed in me. I shall work hard for the fall election and hope to see the entire Democratic ticket elected.

Z. W. WRIGHT.

## Engagement Announced.

The engagement of Miss Rhoda Ethel Rose of Kansas City to Mr. George William Kerdolff of Lexington was announced at a party at the home of Miss Rose's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rose, Saturday afternoon.

The announcement of this engagement is no surprise to social circles in Lexington, for it has been expected some time.

Mr. Kerdolff is one of the most popular young men of Lexington. He was born and reared here and is a graduate of Wentworth Military academy. For several years he has been in the fire insurance business, having purchased the old Windsor office from F. B. White. He is a young man of industry, affability and business capacity.

Miss Rose has many friends in Lexington, where she has made frequent and extended visits. She is a most attractive young lady and possesses the high esteem of all who know her. Mr. Kerdolff is certainly deserving of congratulations.

The marriage will take place early in the fall.

## Walter Williams Here.

Dean Walter Williams of the state university with his son, Walter Williams, Jr., arrived in Lexington Sunday evening after a dusty drive in a surrey from Waverly.

Mr. Williams is making a tour across the state, going over the old Boone's Lick road and the Santa Fe trail. He is gathering data to be the basis of a series of magazine articles and later a book.

Mr. Williams is one of the most prominent men of the state. When he was editor of the Columbia Herald he gained a great deal of fame as a journalist and an orator. He was the originator of the school of journalism at the university. As dean of this school he has done a great deal in advertising the state.

Mr. Williams spent Monday in talking to old residents and in going over records. He drove to Wellington in the afternoon.

## A Card.

I hereby sincerely thank my friends and voters for their support in the primary last Tuesday. Let us get together now and elect the entire Democratic ticket at the November election.

JOE KUEHLS.

## The Primary.

The county court finished canvassing the primary returns too late yesterday for this issue of the Intelligencer. All returns available are unofficial, but the following are conceded to be nominated:

For collector, C. L. Wilson; Presiding judge, Z. W. Wright; Associate judge western district, John F. Larkin.

On the Republican ticket U. G. Phetzing was nominated for collector, and Wm. B. Taggart for judge of the eastern district.

Chas. Hoefer went to Higginsville Tuesday morning for a few days' visit.

Misses Margaret and Catherine Smith left Monday for a visit with relatives in Winona, Missouri.

Gilbert and Albert Edmonds returned to Kansas City Sunday evening after a few days' visit here with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Owen of Higginsville spent Sunday with Mrs. Owen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vivion.

## The Right Spirit.

Chas. F. Kinkead, one of the also rans, wishes to thank his friends for their support in the primary last Tuesday. "I haven't a sore spot on me," he said this morning, "and will put forth every effort to help elect the ticket from top to bottom in November. Every man on the ticket is deserving of the loyal support of his party and will be elected in the fall if every democrat will do his duty."

A. L. Bretz spent Sunday in Buckner.

Dr. H. M. Lissack left Tuesday morning for a trip to San Antonio, Texas.

Chas. Fitzgerald of Borland spent Wednesday on business.

## Death of Mrs. J. W. Staley.

Mrs. J. W. Staley died Tuesday morning at her home in Trinidad, Colorado, after a very brief illness. Her death was a severe shock to her relatives in this county as she was sick only about a week, and was expected to visit Lafayette County in a very short time.

Mrs. Staley was born in Lexington and was 41 years old. She was a daughter of Mr. Mrs. William P. Keith of near Mayview who survive her. She is also survived by her husband and three children, and three brothers, Charles, of Lexington, William, of Mayview and John, of Odessa.

The body was brought to Mayview where the funeral was held Thursday.

## U. S. Troops Here.

Company I, Third Battalion of Engineers arrived in Lexington about noon yesterday morning.

The troops are on a practice march to Mexico, Mo., where they will take the train for Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Indianapolis, Ind., to take part in the army maneuvers in September.

The company is in command of Captain W. Goff Caples, and is composed of 130 men, fifty-eight horses and mules, four escort wagons, an ambulance and pack train. They are camping on the Academy campus and will remain here over Sunday. This evening at three o'clock they will cross bats with the Lexington Merchants. A good ball game may be expected.

## County Court.

The court met in regular session Monday with Judges Hagood, Klingenburg and Thomas, Sheriff Peacock and Clerk Glascock present.

The court ordered County Treasurer, Hoefer, to apportion the state school fund of Lafayette county. The amount being in the aggregate of \$16,203.98.

The court ordered the clerk to make application to the Mt. Vernon Sanitarium for the admission of Maggie Fieldcamp, a tuberculosis patient.

The sale of school land in Camden county for \$200.00 was reported.

The court ordered Steve Davidson confined in the insane asylum at Fulton.

## Annual Clearance Sale

### ALL SUMMER FOOTWEAR

### Thursday, Friday & Saturday

AUGUST 11, 12 and 13



As has been our custom for several years, we will hold an Annual Clearance Sale of Summer Footwear which will be included every pair of Children's, Misses', Ladies and Men's Oxfords and Pumps.

The offering this year will be larger than usual therefore it is necessary for us to offer greater inducements.

We are mentioning only a few numbers below to give you an idea of the reductions to be made all along the lines.

Gun Metal Kid Ankle Strap Pump worth \$2.50 for **\$1.88**

Pat. Kid Ribbon Lace Three and Four Hole Ties worth \$2.00 for **\$1.58**

Kid Blucher Oxford Pat. Tip Flexible Sole Med. Heel worth \$1.50 for **\$1.18**

Pat. Kid Ankle Strap Light Welt Soles worth \$3.50 **\$2.58**

Gun Metal Kid Two Hole Ribbon Tie Flexible Welt Soles worth \$3.50 for **\$2.58**

**Queen Quality**  
Pat. Cloth Top Button Oxford our the New Cygnet Last worth \$3.00 for **\$2.28**

Pat. Calf Full Kid Top Ribbon Lace Oxford The New Nobby Last Worth \$3.00 for **\$2.28**

Kid Lace Oxford Pat. Tip all Solid Leather worth \$1.25 for **98c**

Pat. Colt Eclipse One Hole Tie, Turn Sole worth \$3.50 for **\$2.58**  
All Patent Ankle Strap Pumps worth \$2.50 for **\$1.88**



## EXTRA SPECIAL

26 Pair of Tan Ankle Strap Pumps, worth \$2.50 and \$3.90 to close out, per pair **1.98**

Your attention is directed to the prices below on Misses' and Children's Oxfords and Pumps

Misses' Oxfords and Pumps, both in patent and plain did worth \$2.50 for **\$1.78**

Misses' Oxfords and Pumps, worth \$2.00 for **\$1.48**

Misses' Oxfords worth \$1.35 for **98c**

Children's Oxfords and Pumps, worth \$1.25 for **88c**

### Men's Oxfords

All \$3.50 and \$4.00 Oxfords Walkover make for **\$2.48**

## WASH SUITS

We have about 30 Wash Suits in different colors. New styles—just what you will need for early fall wear, which we have marked for quick selling. Below are the prices during the sale.

Suits worth \$3.50 for **\$2.50**

Suits worth \$5.00 for **\$3.75**

Suits worth \$6.00 for **\$3.75**

Suits worth \$7.50 for **\$4.50**

## SPECIAL

All patent Three Hole Ribbon Lace Light turn Sole Oxfords worth \$2.50 **\$1.98**

## FANCY PARASOLS

All Fancy Parasols will be in the sale at closing out prices.

## HANDBAGS

Our stock of handbags is too large and to reduce it we will for three days make special prices.

## STRAW HATS

We don't want a Straw Hat left and these prices will certainly remove them.

Men's Hats worth \$1.00 for **39c**

Men's Hats worth 50c for **19c**

Men's Hats worth 25c for **14c**

Boy's Hats worth 50c for **29c**

Boy's Hats worth 25c for **14c**

Children's Hats worth 50c for **29c**

Children's Hats worth 25c for **14c**

## MILLINERY

Our last effort to close out all Summer Millinery brings forth the prices below.

Street Hats worth \$2.50 for **50c**

Dress Hats worth \$5.50 and \$6.00 for **\$1.75**

Dress Hats worth \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 for **\$1.25**

49c and 25c Duck Tams and Hats for **10c**

One lot of Roses worth 25 and 35c bunches for **5c**

Wilson-Fredendall

Gry Goods Co.

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